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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 2814

PATENT

Customer No. 22,852

Attorney Docket No. 02887.0141-01

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Yukihito OOWAKI et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2814
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Application No.: 09/879,208	)	Examiner: Rao , Shrinivas H.
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Filed: June 13, 2001	)	Confirmation No.: 4453
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For: MIS TRANSISTOR AND METHOD	)	
FOR PRODUCING THE SAME	)	

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed March 23, 2005, the period for response having been extended through July 25, 2005 (July 23 being a Saturday) by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper, beginning on page 2.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper, beginning on page 11.